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# **Grade Reporting > Utilities > STAAR/TAKS Precoding Extract**

Update 3.5.01xx

## Grade Reporting > Reports > Create Grade Reporting Report

Added the following fields, allowing you to include these fields in a custom report:

- Under **Demo3**, added **AAR Grad Plan** and **Migrant** which are maintained on **Registration > Maintenance > Student Enrollment > Demo3**.
  - Added the **SpecEd** section which includes the **Primary Dis** field, which is maintained on **Registration > Maintenance > Student Enrollment > SpecEd**.
  - Under **Student Course Maintenance**, added **Title**, **Self Pcd**, and **Grad Plan Use Cd** which are maintained on **Grade Reporting > Maintenance > Master Schedule > District Schedule**. Also removed **Service ID Override** from this section.
  - Under **Prior Year/Transfer Courses**, added the following fields which are maintained on **Grade Reporting > Maintenance > Student > Individual Maint > Prior Yr Transfer**.
- **Grd Lvl**
  - **Crs Seq**
  - **GA Wgt**
  - **GA Tbl**
  - **GP Use 1-4**
- Under **District Course Offered CYR** added the following fields which are maintained on **Grade Reporting > Maintenance > Master Schedule > District Schedule**:

- **Crs Nbr**
- **Grad Plan**
- **CPR**
- **Speech**

Also renamed the following:

- **Hroll Cd** renamed to **HRoll Cd**
- **Dist SpcCons** renamed to **Dist Spec Cons**
- **Hroll Wgt** renamed to **HRoll Wgt**
- **Dist Gender Rstr** renamed to **Dist Gender Restr**
- **Hroll Table** renamed to **HRoll Table**
- **Exclude from txGradebook** renamed to **Exclude from TeacherPortal**

- Under **Campus Course Offered CYR** in the **Course Section CYR** section, added the **Grad Plan Use** field which is maintained on **Grade Reporting > Maintenance > Master Schedule >**

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**Campus Schedule > Section.**

Also renamed the following:

- **Cr Sec Nbr** renamed to **Cr Section Nbr**
- **Dual** renamed to **Dual Credit**
- **Wks Mon** renamed to **Wks/Mnth**
- **Cr Instr Sett** renamed to **Cr Instruct Sett**

• Under **Campus Course Offered CYR** in the **Course Meet CYR** section, added the **Entry Date** and **Withdraw Date** fields which are maintained on **Grade Reporting > Maintenance > Master Schedule > Campus Schedule > Section.**

• Under **Campus Course Offered CYR** added the following fields to the **Instructor CYR** section, which are maintained on **Grade Reporting > Maintenance > Master Schedule > Campus Schedule > Instructor:**

- **Homeroom**
- **Exclude from Fall PEIMS**
- **Max Study Halls/Day**
- **Max Sections/Sem**
- **Max Periods/Day**
- **Max Preps/Sem**
- **Max Contact Per/Year**
- **Restr Department**
- **Restr Subject Area**
- **Restr Resvrd Room**
- **Designator 1-3**

• Under **Campus Course Offered CYR** added the **Course CYR** section which includes the following fields which are maintained on **Grade Reporting > Maintenance > Master Schedule > Campus Schedule > Course:**

- **Grd Restr**
- **Add Grd Restr**
- **Pregrid Grd Restr**
- **Add Pregrid Grd Restr**
- **Excl Conflict Matrix**
- **Can Split Opt**
- **Rpt Card Grd Typ**

• Added the **EOC Exception** section which includes the following fields which are maintained on **Grade Reporting > Maintenance > Student > Individual Maint > EOC Exception.**

- **Algebra 1** and **Alg 1 Sch Yr**
- **Biology 1** and **Bio 1 Sch Yr**
- **English 1** and **Eng 1 Sch Yr**
- **English 2** and **Eng 2 Sch Yr**
- **US History** and **US Hist Sch Yr**

<b>Demo 3</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Graduation Type <input type="checkbox"/> Graduation Date <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AAR Grad Plan <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Migrant		<b>SpecEd</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary Dis	
<b>Student Course Maintenance</b>			
<input type="checkbox"/> Crs Num <input type="checkbox"/> Cyc 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Cyc 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cyc 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Citz 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Citz 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Citz 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Exam <input type="checkbox"/> AAR Use	<input type="checkbox"/> Sec Nbr <input type="checkbox"/> Abs 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Abs 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Abs 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Cmt Cyc1 <input type="checkbox"/> Cmt Cyc2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cmt Cyc3 <input type="checkbox"/> Sem Grd <input type="checkbox"/> Stu Crs Special Consider	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Title <input type="checkbox"/> Un 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Un 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Un 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Cmt Cyc1-2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cmt Cyc2-2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cmt Cyc3-2 <input type="checkbox"/> Final Grd <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self Pcd	<input type="checkbox"/> Crs Entry Dt <input type="checkbox"/> Exc 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Exc 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Exc 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Cmt Cyc1-3 <input type="checkbox"/> Cmt Cyc2-3 <input type="checkbox"/> Cmt Cyc3-3 <input type="checkbox"/> Credit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grad Plan Use Cd
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<b>Prior Year/Transfer Courses</b>			
<input type="checkbox"/> School Yr <input type="checkbox"/> Service ID <input type="checkbox"/> AAR Use <input type="checkbox"/> Sem 3 Grade <input type="checkbox"/> Excused Sem4 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GP Use 1	<input type="checkbox"/> Campus <input type="checkbox"/> Service ID Type <input type="checkbox"/> Grade Avg <input type="checkbox"/> Sem 4 Grade <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grd Lvl <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GP Use 2	<input type="checkbox"/> District ID <input type="checkbox"/> Service ID Descr <input type="checkbox"/> CRS Special Consider <input type="checkbox"/> Excused Sem1 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Crs Seq <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GP Use 3	<input type="checkbox"/> Title <input type="checkbox"/> Crs Credit <input type="checkbox"/> Sem 1 Grade <input type="checkbox"/> Excused Sem2 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GA Wgt <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GP Use 4
<b>District Course Offered CYR</b>			
<input type="checkbox"/> Title <input type="checkbox"/> Nbr of Sem <input type="checkbox"/> Graded Crs <input type="checkbox"/> Credits <input type="checkbox"/> Self Paced <input type="checkbox"/> Allow Part Crdt <input type="checkbox"/> Credit Lvl <input type="checkbox"/> OnRamps	<input type="checkbox"/> Core Crs <input type="checkbox"/> ELA Wgt <input type="checkbox"/> Auto Grd <input type="checkbox"/> Dist AAR Use <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dist Spec Cons <input type="checkbox"/> Incl UIL Elig Crs <input type="checkbox"/> Credit Seq <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Crs Nbr	<input type="checkbox"/> Service ID <input type="checkbox"/> GA Wgt <input type="checkbox"/> GA Table <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HRoll Cd <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HRoll Wgt <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HRoll Table <input type="checkbox"/> Exam Sem Pattern <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grad Plan	<input type="checkbox"/> Service ID Descr <input type="checkbox"/> Abbrev Name <input type="checkbox"/> Period Ctrl <input type="checkbox"/> Required/Elective <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dist Gender Restr <input type="checkbox"/> Department <input type="checkbox"/> Dist Class Type <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CPR

**Campus Course Offered CYR**

**Course Section CYR**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cr Section Nbr	<input type="checkbox"/> Cr Special Consid	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dual Credit	<input type="checkbox"/> Incl UIL Elig Sec	<input type="checkbox"/> Adv Tech Crd
<input type="checkbox"/> Cr AAR Use	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade Rstrctn	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wks/Mnth	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cr Instruct Sett	<input type="checkbox"/> College Cr Hrs-Sem 1
<input type="checkbox"/> Max Seats	<input type="checkbox"/> Add Grd Rstrctn	<input type="checkbox"/> Elem Skills Based	<input type="checkbox"/> Distance Lrning	<input type="checkbox"/> College Cr Hrs-Sem 2
<input type="checkbox"/> Type Rstrctn	<input type="checkbox"/> Cr Gender Rstrctn	<input type="checkbox"/> Locked	<input type="checkbox"/> Cr Pop Svcd	<input type="checkbox"/> College Cr Hrs-Sem 3
<input type="checkbox"/> Crs Seq	<input type="checkbox"/> Multi Svc Ind	<input type="checkbox"/> Team Code	<input type="checkbox"/> Cr Class Type	<input type="checkbox"/> College Cr Hrs-Sem 4
<input type="checkbox"/> PK Curricula	<input type="checkbox"/> High Qual PK Prog	<input type="checkbox"/> Stu Instr	<input type="checkbox"/> PK Sch Type	<input type="checkbox"/> OnRamps
<input type="checkbox"/> Home Room Ind	<input type="checkbox"/> PK Prog Eval Type	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grad Plan Use		

**Course Meet CYR**

<input type="checkbox"/> Sem	<input type="checkbox"/> Days of Week	<input type="checkbox"/> Period Begin	<input type="checkbox"/> Period End	<input type="checkbox"/> Room	<input type="checkbox"/> Time Begin	<input type="checkbox"/> Time End
<input type="checkbox"/> Lockout	<input type="checkbox"/> Instr ID	<input type="checkbox"/> Class Role	<input type="checkbox"/> Role ID	<input type="checkbox"/> Cert CTE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Entry Date	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Withdraw Date

**Instructor CYR**

<input type="checkbox"/> Instr Last Name	<input type="checkbox"/> Instr First Name	<input type="checkbox"/> Instr Mid Name	<input type="checkbox"/> Section	<input type="checkbox"/> In Grade Level	<input type="checkbox"/> Email
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Homeroom	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exclude from Fall PEIMS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Max Study Halls/Day	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Max Sections/Sem	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Max Periods/Day	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Max Preps/Sem
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Max Contact Per/Year	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Restr Department	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Restr Subject Area	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Restr Resvrd Room	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Designator 1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Designator 2
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Designator 3					

**Course CYR**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grd Restr	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Add Grd Restr	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pregrid Grd Restr	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Add Pregrid Grd Restr	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Excl Conflict Matrix	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Can Split Opt
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rpt Card Grd Typ					

**EOC Exception**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Algebra 1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Alg 1 Sch Yr	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Biology 1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bio 1 Sch Yr	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> English 1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Eng 1 Sch Yr
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> English 2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Eng 2 Sch Yr	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> US History	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> US Hist Sch Yr		

**Registration > Utilities > Texas Unique Student ID Processing > UID Import**

Modified the program to correctly import longer student names (up to 60 characters each for first, middle, and last name).



# ASCENDER ParentPortal

Update 4.0.1.xx (TxEIS 3.5.0xxx)

Corrected the program to resize the screen appropriately for Chromebook users.

## ASCENDER ParentPortal > Create Account

Corrected the program to display the message “Email has already been verified” when a parent clicks the link in the verification email message after already having verified the email address.

## ASCENDER ParentPortal > Attendance (Detailed View)

Added a vertical scroll bar so that users can see all dates when a student has numerous absences.

Renamed the toggle button from **Simple/Detailed** to **All Attendance/Detailed**.

Corrected the Detailed View so that the **All Attendance/Detailed** toggle displays the correct codes.

The **All Attendance** view displays the four main absence types:

- Unexcused Absence (U)
- Tardy (T)
- Excused Absence (E)
- School Related (S)

Attendance

Semester: 2

Detailed View

Detailed View

Calendar View

Totals View

Legend

**U: UNEXCUSED ABSENCES**

**T: TARDIES**

**E: EXCUSED ABSENCES**

**S: SCHOOL RELATED**

Period	Course	Instructor	1/21	1/22	1/23	1/24	1/27
0	MATH 5	CADENA, JOANIA BRIAN	E	E	E	U	U
1	SCIENCE 5	SHAKIR, ROSA	E	E	E	T	U
2	HOMEROOM GR 5	<a href="#">TRIBETT, NICOLE STEVEN</a>	E	E	E	U	T
3	MATH INTERVEN5	JACKSON, T		T	E		T
4	ELA 5	<a href="#">TRIBETT, NICOLE STEVEN</a>	U	T	E		
5	READING 5	<a href="#">TRIBETT, NICOLE STEVEN</a>	E	E	E		
6	SOCIAL STUD5	SHEGOG, CEDRIC	U	E	E		
7	PE 5	SIMMONS, WILLIE ROSLYN	E			T	

The **Detailed** view displays the specific district codes assigned to the student for that absence, which are set up on **Attendance > Maintenance > District > Posting Codes**.

## Attendance

Semester: 1

### Detailed View

Detailed View

Calendar View

Totals View

Period	Course	Instructor	8/29	9/4	9/11	9/19	9/20	1/14
0	MATH 5	CADENA, JOANIA BRIAN	U	M	2	T		
1	SCIENCE 5	SHAKIR, ROSA	U	M	2	T		
2	HOMEROOM GR 5	<a href="#">TRIBETT, NICOLE STEVEN</a>	U	M	2	V		
3	MATH INTERVEN5	JACKSON, T	U	M	2	V		
4	ELA 5	<a href="#">TRIBETT, NICOLE STEVEN</a>	U	M	2	V	A	
5	READING 5	<a href="#">TRIBETT, NICOLE STEVEN</a>	U	M	2	V	A	
6	SOCIAL STUD5	SHEGOG, CEDRIC	U	M	2	V	A	V
7	PE 5	SIMMONS, WILLIE ROSLYN	U	M	2	V	A	
7	SPANISH-5	SHAKIR, ROSA	U	M	2	V	A	

**Legend**

U: UNEXCUSED ABSENCES (U)

T: TARDY (T)

V: Unexcused Tardy (T)

2: SUSPENDED FROM SCHOOL (E)

A: EXCUSED ABSENCES (E)

M: MEDICALLY EXCUSED (E)

## ASCENDER ParentPortal > Attendance (Calendar View)

Corrected alignment of the calendar in the Firefox browser.

## ASCENDER ParentPortal > Attendance (Totals View)

Modified the program so that the following **Instructor** information is displayed if provided by that instructor in txGradebook.

- The instructor's name is displayed as a link if the instructor's email address exists. Click the link to send an email message to the instructor.
- The note icon is displayed next to the instructor's name. Click the icon to view any additional notes provided by the instructor, such as office hours, phone number, etc.

## Totals View

Period	Course	Instructor	Total Absences	E: EXCUSED ABSENCES
0	SOCIAL STUD6	RIOS, L PATRICIA	0	0
1	ELA 6	<a href="#">TRIBETT, NICOLE STEVEN</a> 	0	0
2	ADVISORY 6	DELANE, CORLEY DEBORAH	0	0
3	ELA 5	SHAKIR, ROSA	0	0

### ASCENDER ParentPortal > Grades > Cycle and Semester Grades > Cycle Grades

Corrected the functionality of the **Show/Hide** toggle so that it works as expected.

### ASCENDER ParentPortal > Grades > Cycle and Semester Grades > Semester Grades

Corrected the page to refresh properly when the student is changed.

### ASCENDER ParentPortal > My Account > New Student Enrollment (Step 3)

Corrected the program so that the **Family Addresses** and **Family Contacts** forms reflect any changes made on **ASCENDER ParentPortal Admin > Form Management > Form Creator**.

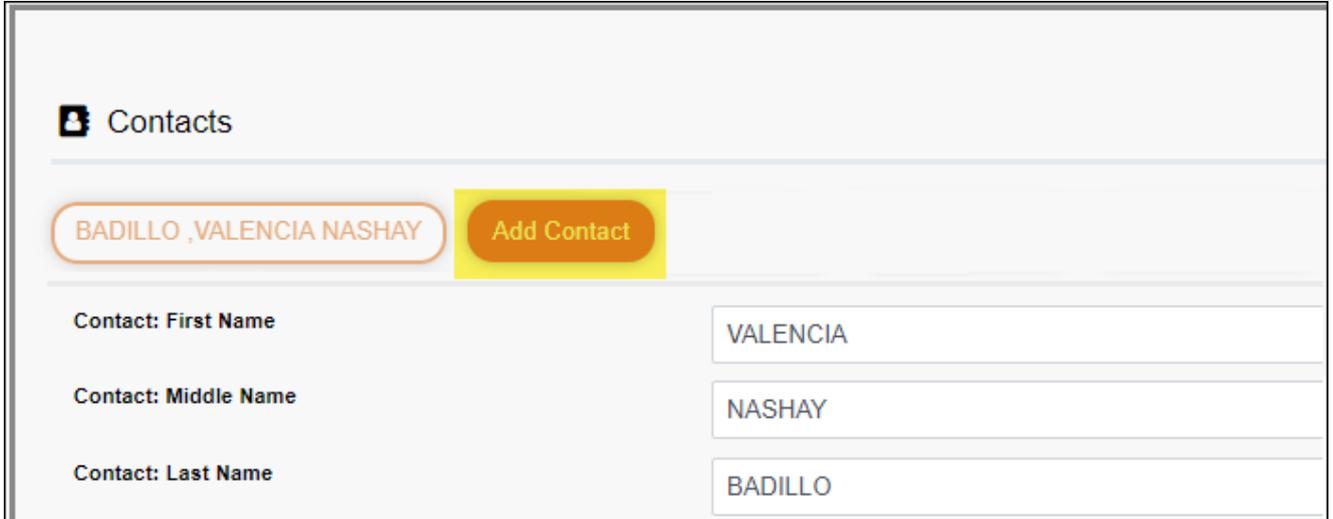
### ASCENDER ParentPortal > My Account > New Student Enrollment (Step 4)

Corrected the program to display instructions for static documents as entered in the **Form Instructions** field on **ASCENDER ParentPortal Admin > Form Management > Form Creator**.

Corrected the program to require the parent to complete any fields marked as Required before proceeding to the next step, and to indicate the blank required fields with a red box when a parent attempts to proceed.

## ASCENDER ParentPortal > Summary > Registration

Renamed the **Add User** button to **Add Contact**.



Contacts

BADILLO , VALENCIA NASHAY Add Contact

Contact: First Name VALENCIA

Contact: Middle Name NASHAY

Contact: Last Name BADILLO

## ASCENDER ParentPortal Admin > Form Management > Custom Forms > Create Custom Form

Corrected the functionality of the Dropdown question format so that if a user selects multiple options, all of the user's selections are recorded and displayed on **Custom Forms > View Form Data**.

## ASCENDER ParentPortal Admin > Admin Settings > User Settings

Added the following fields allowing you to enter search criteria for retrieving a particular ParentPortal user.

- **User**
- **Email**
- **Student ID**
- **Student Name**

Also added the ability to sort each column in the **Matching Users** grid.

### User Settings

Active : No Active User

To impersonate a parent user, find a user in the table below and select the Select button next to the user. You will then be able to navigate ParentPortal as that user.  
 Navigate to Admin Settings > User Settings to return to this page and set a different user.

[Export Users](#)

[Export Users With Students](#)

User:

Email:

Student ID:

Student Name:

[Search](#)

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**Matching Users - 5**

Action	User Name	Email Address	Last Login	Student Count
<a href="#">Delete</a> <a href="#">Select</a>	huertatestuser	.....r@gmail.com	2020-01-30 09:28:11.0	0
<a href="#">Delete</a> <a href="#">Select</a>	test1010	.....t@gmail.com	2020-02-03 09:48:09.0	0
<a href="#">Delete</a> <a href="#">Select</a>	test1616	.....@gmail.com	2020-02-03 13:35:36.0	0
<a href="#">Delete</a> <a href="#">Select</a>	testuser	.....@esc20.net	2020-02-03 20:57:02.0	10
<a href="#">Delete</a> <a href="#">Select</a>	testuser1234	.....t@esc20.net	2020-01-30 15:26:26.0	4

Modified the **Matching Users** search results to not include students with status code 4 or 5.

Corrected the program to filter **Matching Users** results for campus-level administrators according to the search criteria entered.

### ASCENDER ParentPortal Admin > Form Management > Form Creator > Edit Form

Corrected the issue that prevented fields from being displayed when a campus has an invalid or blank Number of Semesters or Number of Cycles per Semester.

## **ASCENDER ParentPortal Admin > Form Management > Form Usage > Usage Statistics**

Corrected the issue that prevented usage statistics from being displayed.

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